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The Honorable Kay Granger Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations H-305 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth HOB Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Township of West Orange Pump Station in Fiscal Year 2024. The entity receive funding for this project is the Township of West Orange, located at 66 Main St., West Orange, NJ, 07052. The funding will be used to ensure the pump stations remain in working order to improve water quality and reduce municipal energy costs, which will benefit the residents of West Orange. The Township aims to increase the quality of life of residents, as we serve a diverse community that spans 12 square miles.

The work will be performed on seven pumping stations around East Orange, NJ:

- 1. Short Hills Pump Station, 111 Old Short Hills Road, West Orange, NJ
- 2. Dogwood Pump Station, 39 Dogwood Road, West Orange, NJ
- 3. Grande Pump Station, 1 Rappleye Court, West Orange, NJ
- 4. Haggerty Pump Station, 50 Haggerty Drive, West Orange, NJ
- 5. Vitro Pump Station, 198 Pleasant Valley Way, West Orange, NJ
- 6. King Pump Station, 14 King Road, West Orange, NJ
- 7. Cherry Lane Pump Station, 99 Cherry Lane, West Orange, NJ

This project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Title VI of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C 1381 et seq.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely.

Donald M. Payne, Jr. Member of Congress